

COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP
Form DEFA14A
April 19, 2012

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 14A

Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No.)

Filed by the Registrant ☒

Filed by a Party other than the Registrant ☐

Check the appropriate box:

- ☐ Preliminary Proxy Statement
- ☐ **Confidential, for Use of the Commission Only** (as permitted by Rule 14a-6(e)(2))
- ☐ Definitive Proxy Statement
- ☒ Definitive Additional Materials
- ☐ Soliciting Material Pursuant to §240.14a-12

COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS
CORPORATION

(Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

(Name of Person(s) Filing Proxy Statement, if Other Than the Registrant)

Payment of Filing Fee (Check the appropriate box):

- ☒ No fee required.
- ☐ Fee computed on table below per Exchange Act Rules 14a-6(i)(1) and 0-11.

(1) Title of each class of securities to which transaction applies:

- (2) Aggregate number of securities to which transaction applies:
- (3) Per unit price or other underlying value of transaction computed pursuant to Exchange Act Rule 0-11 (set forth the amount on which the filing fee is calculated and state how it was determined):
- (4) Proposed maximum aggregate value of transaction:

(5) Total fee paid:

.. Fee paid previously with preliminary materials:

.. Check box if any part of the fee is offset as provided by Exchange Act Rule 0-11(a)(2) and identify the filing for which the offsetting fee was paid previously. Identify the previous filing by registration statement number, or the Form or Schedule and the date of its filing.

(1) Amount previously paid:

(2) Form, Schedule or Registration Statement No.:

(3) Filing Party:

(4) Date Filed:

*** Exercise Your *Right* to Vote ***

**Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the
Shareholder Meeting to Be Held on June 05, 2012**

COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP.

Meeting Information

Meeting Type: Annual Meeting
For holders as of: April 09, 2012
Date: June 05, 2012 **Time:** 9:30 AM EDT
Location: Corporate Headquarters
Glenpointe Centre West

500 Frank W. Burr Blvd

Teaneck, New Jersey 07666

You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in the above named company.

This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these shares. This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. You may view the proxy materials online at www.proxyvote.com or easily request a paper copy (see reverse side).

We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

See the reverse side of this notice to obtain proxy materials and voting instructions.

Broadridge Internal Use Only

	Job #
	Envelope #
	Sequence #
	# of # Sequence #

0000140330_1 R1.0.0.11699

Before You Vote

How to Access the Proxy Materials

Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE:

1. Notice & Proxy Statement 2. Annual Report

How to View Online:

Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow (located on the following page) and visit:
www.proxyvote.com.

How to Request and Receive a PAPER or E-MAIL Copy:

If you want to receive a paper or e-mail copy of these documents, you must request one. There is NO charge for requesting a copy. Please choose one of the following methods to make your request:

- 1) *BY INTERNET*: www.proxyvote.com
2) *BY TELEPHONE*: 1-800-579-1639
3) *BY E-MAIL**: sendmaterial@proxyvote.com

* If requesting materials by e-mail, please send a blank e-mail with the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow (located on the following page) in the subject line.

Requests, instructions and other inquiries sent to this e-mail address will NOT be forwarded to your investment advisor. Please make the request as instructed above on or before May 22, 2012 to facilitate timely delivery.

How To Vote

Please Choose One of the Following Voting Methods

Vote In Person: Many shareholder meetings have attendance requirements including, but not limited to, the possession of an attendance ticket issued by the entity holding the meeting. Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance. At the meeting, you will need to request a ballot to vote these shares.

Vote By Internet: To vote now by Internet, go to www.proxyvote.com. Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow available and follow the instructions.

Vote By Mail: You can vote by mail by requesting a paper copy of the materials, which will include a proxy card.

Internal Use
Only

0000140330_2 R1.0.0.11699

Voting items

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following:

**1. Election of Directors
Nominees**

1a. Francisco D Souza

1b. John N. Fox, Jr.

1c. Thomas M. Wendel

**The Board of Directors recommends you
vote AGAINST the following proposal:**

**5 TO ACT ON A STOCKHOLDER
PROPOSAL TO DECLASSIFY THE
COMPANY S BOARD OF DIRECTORS
AND PROVIDE FOR THE ANNUAL
ELECTION OF ALL DIRECTORS.**

NOTE: TO TRANSACT SUCH OTHER
BUSINESS AS MAY PROPERLY COME
BEFORE THE MEETING OR ANY
ADJOURNMENT OR ADJOURNMENTS
THEREOF.

**The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR
proposals 2, 3 and 4.**

**2 APPROVAL OF THE COMPENSATION OF OUR
NAMED EXECUTIVE OFFICERS, DISCLOSED
PURSUANT TO ITEM 402 OF REGULATION S-K.**

**3 TO AMEND OUR RESTATED CERTIFICATE OF
INCORPORATION, AS AMENDED (THE
CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION) AND TO
AMEND AND RESTATE OUR AMENDED AND
RESTATE BY-LAWS, AS AMENDED, TO
PROVIDE HOLDERS OF TWENTY-FIVE
PERCENT (25%) OF THE COMPANY S
OUTSTANDING SHARES OF CLASS A COMMON
STOCK, PAR VALUE \$0.01 PER SHARE (CLASS
A COMMON STOCK), UPON SATISFACTION OF
CERTAIN CONDITIONS, THE POWER TO CALL
A SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.**

**4 TO RATIFY THE APPOINTMENT OF
PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS LLP AS OUR
INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC
ACCOUNTING FIRM FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 2012.**

0000140330_3 R1.0.0.11699

Broadridge Internal Use Only

xxxxxxxxxx

xxxxxxxxxx

Cusip

Job #

Envelope #

Sequence #

of # Sequence

Reserved for Broadridge Internal
Control Information

NAME

THE COMPANY NAME INC. - COMMON	123,456,789,012.12345
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - CLASS A	123,456,789,012.12345
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - CLASS B	123,456,789,012.12345
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - CLASS C	123,456,789,012.12345
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - CLASS D	123,456,789,012.12345
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - CLASS E	123,456,789,012.12345
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - CLASS F	123,456,789,012.12345
THE COMPANY NAME INC. - 401 K	123,456,789,012.12345

Broadridge Internal Use Only

THIS SPACE RESERVED FOR SIGNATURES IF APPLICABLE

Job #
Envelope #
Sequence #
of # Sequence

0000140330_4 R1.0.0.11699